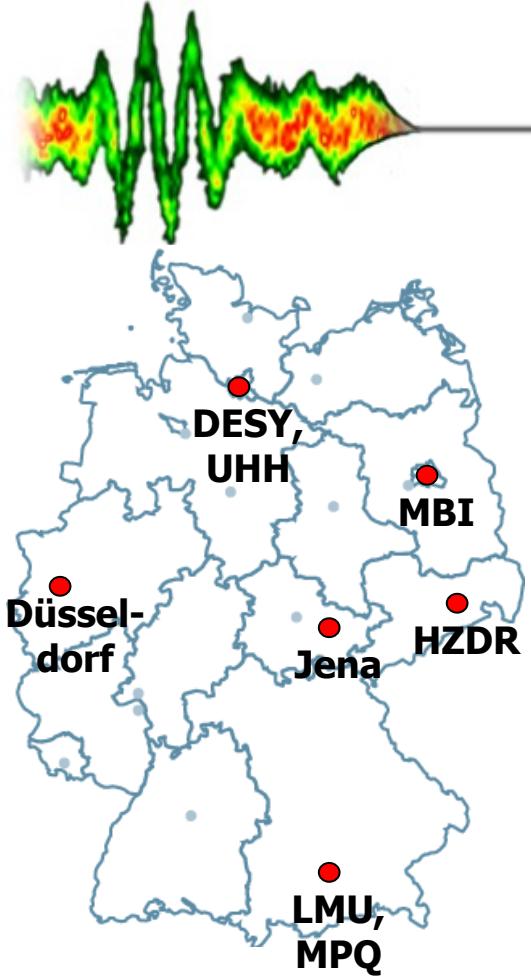


# Status Germany

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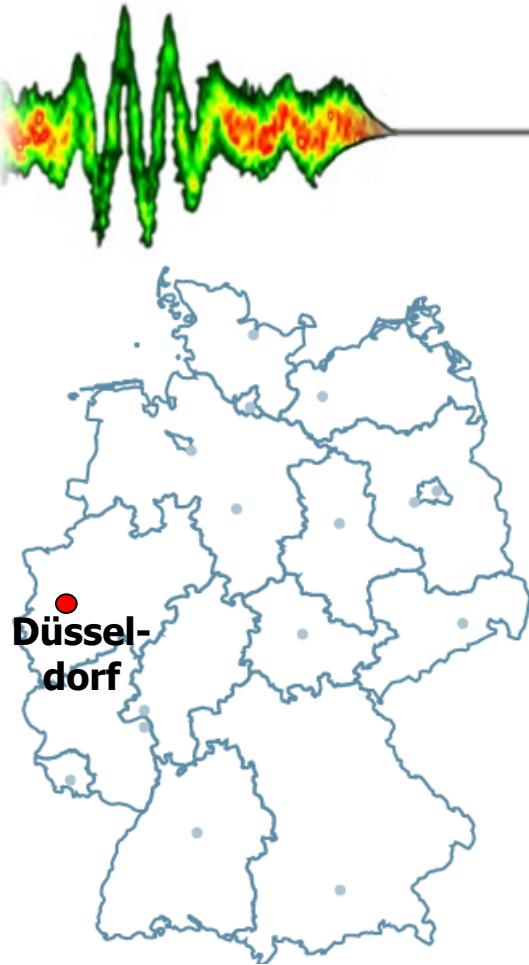
# Overview



<b>name</b>	<b>start</b>	<b>run time</b>	<b>partners</b>
TransRegio 18	2004	3 x 4 years <i>talk by Oswald Willi</i>	Düsseldorf, Jena, LMU, MPQ, MBI
MAP Cluster of Excellence	2006	5+1 years follow-up proposal 2011	LMU, MPQ
Helmholtz Association	2011	<i>talk by Tom Cowan</i>	HZDR, DESY, UHH
CALA	2011	new university institute <i>s. talk by Stefan Karsch</i>	LMU, MPQ
ELI (EU)	2011	<i>talks by Georg Korn and Wolfgang Sandner</i>	PALS (Prague), LMU, MPQ, UHH/DESY

# Düsseldorf

## (Oswald Willi et al.)



<b>lasers</b>	10 TW + 100 TW + 200 TW (25 fs) all synchronized  planned upgrades: 100 → 200 TW; XPW ( $10^{12}$ contrast)
<b>current electron beams</b>	gas jets: 330 MeV gas targets (5-15 mm): stable 110 MeV
<b>research</b>	testing microchips for outer space staging of plasma accelerators theory + simulations

# Jena

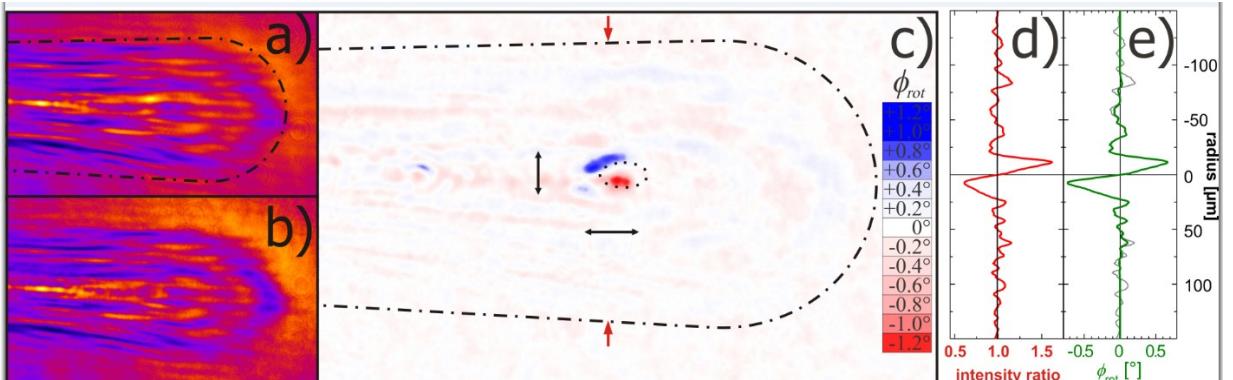
## (Malte Kaluza et al.)



<b>lasers</b>	JETI: 32 TW (25 fs) on target, plasma mirrors for $>10^{12}$ contrast  planned upgrade: 2012 2.5 J
<b>current electron beams</b>	300 MeV energy spread 1-2 % charge 1-15 pC
<b>research</b>	light sources (THz, betatron, undulator) cell irradiation e-beam diagnostics (with MPQ)
<b>highlight</b>	direct observation of electrons inside bubble

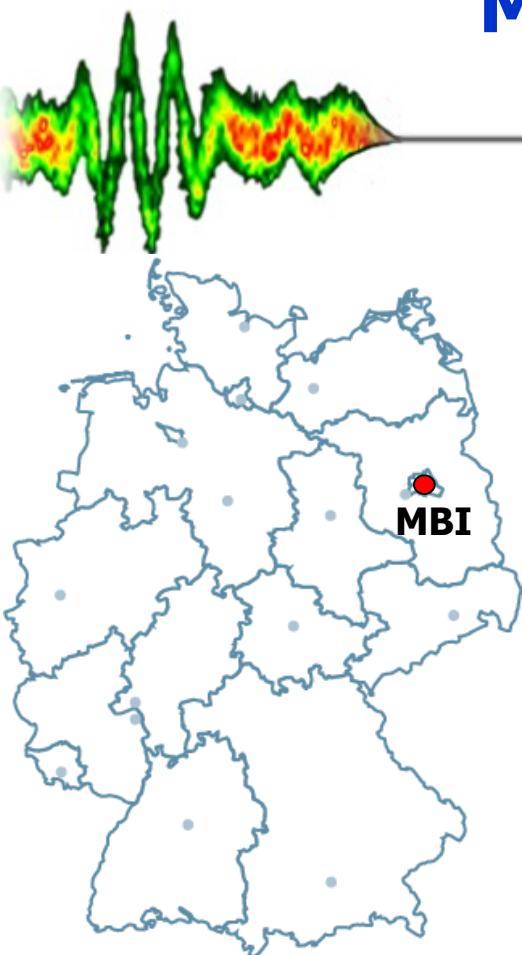
M. Kaluza et al., PRL 2010

A. Buck et al.,  
Nature Phys. (2011)



# Max-Born Institute (Berlin)

## (Matthias Schnürer et al.)



<b>lasers</b>	100 TW (25 fs) coupled with 30 TW (45 fs)
<b>current electron beams</b>	so far ion acceleration electrons start in 2012
<b>research</b>	(plasma) pump (ion/photon) probe experiments staging of plasma accelerators
<b>highlight</b>	record efficiency for laser into <b>ion</b> energy

# HZDR (Dresden)

## (Ulrich Schramm et al.)



<b>lasers</b>	150 TW (25-30 fs)  upgrade: 500 TW (25-30 fs), 2012 1 PW end of 2013
<b>current electron beams</b>	so far ion acceleration electron acceleration started; joint experiments with DESY/UHH
<b>research</b>	injection of external ELBE beam (100 fs)

# LMU/MPQ (Munich)

## (Stefan Karsch, Laszlo Veisz, Florian Grüner, et al.)



### lasers

ATLAS: 100 TW (25 fs, Ti:Sapph)  
 LWS-20: 16 TW (**8 fs**, OPCPA)

planned upgrades:  
 LWS-100 (5 fs)  
 ATLAS-3000, PFS: 5J/5fs/1kHz (in CALA)

### current electron beams

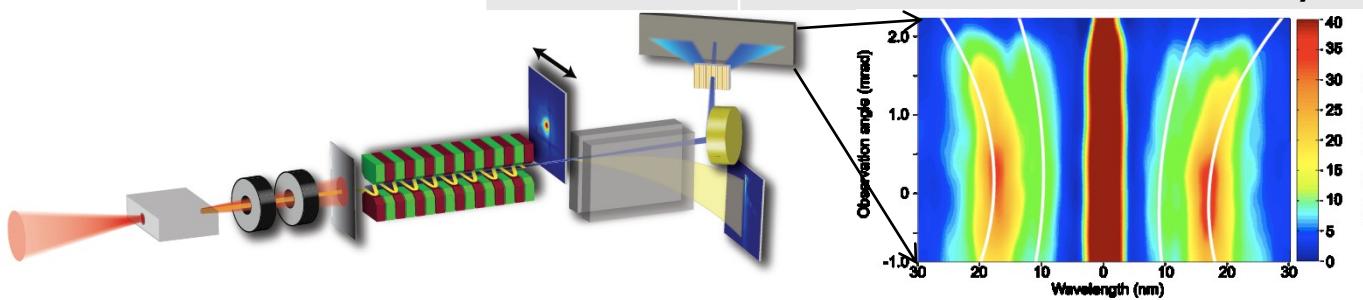
LWS-20: 20-40 MeV, 5-6 fs (measured)  
 ATLAS: **600 MeV, 200 pC**

### research

e-beam diagnostics (bunch length, emittance)  
 light sources (undulator, table-top FEL,  
 medical imaging)  
 theory + simulation

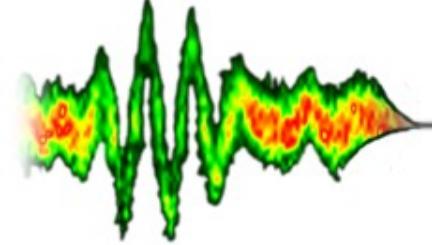
### highlight

highly stable 200-600 MeV electrons  
 first laser-driven soft X-ray undulator source



M. Fuchs, ..., J. Osterhoff,  
 ..., S. Karsch, F. Grüner,  
*Nature Phys.* 5, 826 (2009)

# Overview summary



item	number (estimate)
labs	7
laser systems > 100 TW	5 (today)
man power	11 profs./groups 13 postdocs >20 PhDs
<b>expertises:</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• stable electron beams</li> <li>• e-beam diagnostics</li> <li>• beam transport</li> <li>• laser-driven light sources</li> </ul>	

